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IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN. At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen of Alex-

andria, held Tuesday evening, March 12th, 1861. there were present. Geo. H. Bryan, esq., President.

Messrs Markell, Barton, Simpson, Armstrong, Boothe, Witmer, and Cazenove. The Board proceeded to go into an election for Mr. Cazenove nominated the present incumbent.

Mesers. Hodgkin, Eastlack and Padgett were also nominated. The ballot being taken and neither candidate getting a sufficient majority, there was no election The Board going in to second ballot, C. Pow 6 I was declared elected Clerk of this Board. A motion was made to go into an election of a

Messenger. A number of persons were put in nomination; after several ballots, Mr. John Shackleford was declared elected Messenger of this Board. Mr. Armstrong called up the claim of Mr. F. L. Barreda, with the following order laid on the table Ordered, That the Auditor issue his warrant in

favor of F. L. Barreda for the sum of \$14.60. The order was adopted. The Committee on Public Property reported on the repairs of the city Hay Scales, together with the following order, which was adopted: Ordered, That the Auditor issue his warrant in

favor of Charles R. Grymes, Peter G. Henderson Wm. W. Allen, and Smoot & Perry, for the payment of their respective bills, amounting to ninetyeight dollars and eighty-nine cents, for repairs on the city Hay Scales. A report from the Keeper of the Powder House

was received and accepted. The following order, passed by the Common Council, was received and laid on the table: Ordered. That the Committee on Streets examine the street pavements on Union, between Wolfe and Queen streets and report to Council as early as practicable the probable cost of repairing the

A communication was received from the Fire Department, referred by the Common Council to number, by far the handsemest number ever is- the Committee on Light with the authority to grant the request, the action of the Common Couneil concurred it. A communication was received from the Super-

intendent of Police relative to the old market

ouse, which was referred to the Committee on Public Property. The Joint Committee appointed on the part of the two Boards to report joint rules for their government, made a report unanimously recommending the adoption of the joint rules of the last City Council.

The report was received and adopted.

The Board then adjourned.

present:

C POWELL, Clerk. IN COMMON COUNCIL. At a regular meeting of the Common Council of Alexandria, held Murch 12th, 1861, there were

Messrs. Triplett, Atkinson, Smoot, Harmon, A. Jamieson, Ashby, Snowden, Whittington, Harper and T. S. Jamieson. The President being absent, Mr. Smoot was elected President pro tem. R. H. Miller, member elect from the Third Ward. appeared and qualified.

Ordered, That the Committee on Streets exam-Eclectic, Harper, Godey, Peterson, Arthur's, ine the street pavement on Union, between Wolfe Knickerbocker, Leslie's Fashion Book, and all and Queen streets, and report to Council as early as acid or other matters to supply the sugar the Magazines for January. Now is the time to practicable the probable cost of repairing the same. and other portions lost during kneading, or to was received, read and accepted. A communication was received from the Fire

On motion of Mr. Whittington, it was

Department asking that the extra supply of gas allowed to the several Fire Companies, be distribated as follows: Sun S.16, Friendship 5-16, Hydraulion 2-16, Star 1-16. Which on motion, was referred to the Commit-

The Special Committee on the joint rules repor-

ted that they had unanimosly agreed to adopt the joint rules of the last Council, as the joint rules of this Council. On motion, the report was adopted. The Board of Aldermen sent to Council the report of the Committee on Public Property to whom | tin, the longest day has seventeen hours, and had been referred an order directing repairs to be made on the Hay Scales, the Committee reported that they had discharged their duties, and the cost of repairs amounted to ninety-eight dollars and

eighty-nine cents, for which they ask the adoption of the following order: Ordered, That the Auditor issue his warrants in favor of Charles R. Grymes, Peter G. Henderson, Wm. W. Allen, and Smoot & Perry, for the payment of their respective bills, amounting to ninetyeight dollars and eighty-nine cents, for repairs on the city Hay Scales.

On motion, this Board concurred in the action

of the Board of Aldermen, passing the order. A report from the Committee on Claims, to whom had been referred an application from F. L. Barreda to have refunded to him \$14.60, tax improperly assessed, was received through the Board of Aldermen, and the passage of the following order by the Board of Aldermen, concurred in: Ordered, That the Auditor issue his warrant in On motion, Council then adjourned.

JAMES DEMPSEY, Clerk. Teste :

AUCTION SALES.

YOMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF AL-EXANDRIA .- By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, rendered in the suit of Sarah Offatt's executors, vs. Lester Lloyd. and others, the undersigned Commissioners, will, at 12 o'clock, M , ON SATURDAY, the 6th day of April, 1861, in front of the Mayor's Office, in the city of Alexandria, seil at public auction, that valuable HOUSE and LOT, on the south

yette street. TERMS :- One-tenth of the purchase money in cash, the balance in three equal in talments, at 6, 12, and 18 months, from the day of sale - the deferred payments, to bear interest, and to be secured by the negotiable notes of the purchaser with until the deferred payments are made. The cash payment to be forfeited, and the property resold | ment of HARDWARE and BUILDERS' MATEat the risk of the purchaser, on failure to comply

I. LOUIS KINZER,) LAW. B. TAYLOR, Comm'rs. D. L. SMOOT,

COMMISSIONERS'S SALE OF A VALUA- and Window Furnishing Store, No. 158, King-BLE FARM IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY. street. -By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, rendered in the suit of Louisa Hunter vs. Tochman and Williams, the undersigned Commissioners, will, ON SATURDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF APRIL, 1861, in front of the Mayor's Office, in the city of Alexandria, sell at public auction, that valuable farm known as "SUMMER HILL," on the Alexandria and Washington Turnpike, and about midway between the two cities. The farm contains about 150 ACRES, of which about one-third is in wood. It is well improved, and commands the benefit of the three markets of Washington, Georgetown, and Alexandria.

TERMS :-- One tenth the purchase money in eash, and the residue in three equal instalments, nt 6, 12, and 18 months, to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, and a retention of the title till the bonds are paid. CHRISTOPHER NEALE. | Comm'rs.

GEORGE W. BRENT, feli 28-2awtd A DMINISTRATOR'S SALE .- On Saturday, March 23d, at 12 o'clock, M., on the premises, CUMBERLAND COAL FOR SALE, by the at the corner of Queen and Royal streets, there will be offered at public sale a LEASEHOLD,

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sep 24-dly DEN SEED, which are warranted fresh and gen-nine. [feb 18] MEADE & MARYE. Lamb 4 MEYENR MEYENBERG'S. MISCELLANEOUS READING.

STEAM BOILERS,-In King's work on the steam engine, lately issued in New York. are some useful hints on the patching of boilers. Wherever says the author, the defective parts can be reached so as to work at it well, it is best to cut it out and rivet a patch on, caulking the seams; but as this cannot always be done the most common practice is to put a patch over the defective part, securing it with bolts, and nuts, or tap nolts, and making the joint with stiff putty. composed of white and red lead and a small quantity of fine iron borings. A piece of sheet lead fitted over the place to be parched will answer for the patern to make the patch by, which, however, before the joint is made, should be fitted snugly in its place while hot. Owing to imperfection in the iron, small cracks are sometimes discovered in the flues or other parts of the boiler subject to a high temperature. Should these not be more than two or three inches in length, they can be stopped by drilling holes and putting in three or four small rivets, hammering the heads well down, so as to cover the crack. A leaky staybolt or rivet has but one sure remedy, and that is to cut it

out and put in a new one. There have been but two postmasters in the city of Charleston since the days of Washington Gen. Washington appointed Mr. Balot in 1797 who served until his death, when the present incumbent, Mr. Huger, (pronounced Uger,) was appointed by Mr Munroe. Mr. Huger is now over 70 years, of Huguenot blood a gentleman of commanding and venerable appearance, about six feet high, well proportioned fine Roman face, full head of hair and as white us snow, fine black eyes, heavy eyebrows, very erect, and one of the most hightoned gentlemen in all our city. One peculiar trait he has, and that is he is remarkably fond of the company of young persons; and whilst they show great defference to him, no one however young, is at all cramped in his society. In many respects he greatly re-

sembles the late Gov. Barbour of Virginia. We have never had at this port but four collectors of the customs since the formation of the United State, and one of these collectors died soon after being appointed. So you see that Carolinans do not show the same fundness for the government test as is the wont of many of your United States. This does not look much like office-seeking .-Charleston Courier.

NEW WAY OF MAKING BRDAD .- A new mode of bread-making is attracting some attention. It seems that, except in th . manufacture of biscuit, machines to make bread have only been partially successful, and their products, like those of ordinary bakeries, too often need alum, sweetening, sulphuric The report of the Keeper of the Powder House, whiten the bread. The new mode employs an apparatus, the principle feature of which is a copper cylinder, into which carbonic acid gas is introduced and is incorporated with the flour. When fermentation commences, the liquified flour is drawn off by a tap and immediately baked, there being no actual manipulation.

> LENGTH OF DAYS .- At Berlin and London, the longest day has sixteen and a half hours. At Stockholm and Upsal, the longest has eighteen and a half hours, and the shortest five and a half. At Hamburg, Dantzic, and Stetthe shortest seven. At St. Petersburg and Tobolsk, the longest has nineteen, and the shortest five hours. At Torneo, in Finland, the longest day has twenty-one hours and a half, and the shortest two and a half. At Wandorbus, in Norway, the day lasts from the 21st of May to the 22d of July, without interruntion; and in Spitzbergen, the longest lasts

> three months and a half. . THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that the sub-A scriber has obtained letters of administration on the estate of Ann Clagett, dec'd. All persons having claims against the estate are requested to exhibit the same, and those indebted to make im-C. W. WATTLES, mediate payment.

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